CMX901 RF Power Amplifier
Wideband and High Efficiency
130MHz to 950MHz

The CMX901 is a three stage (Class A, AB, C) high-gain and high efficiency RF power amplifier providing a combination of load-ruggedness, low-cost and high-efficiency at VHF and low UHF frequencies.

Features
- Wide operating frequency range 130MHz to 950MHz
- Typical output power:
  - 2.5W operating at 160MHz
  - 1.8W operating at 435MHz
  - 1.5W operating at 915MHz
- High power gain up to 40dB
- High power added efficiency up to 60% at VHF
- Single polarity supply voltage 2.5V to 6V
- Small 28 pin WQFN package

Applications
- Wireless data communications
  - FSK, FFSK/MSK, GFSK/GMSK, Multi-level FSK
- Marine AIS Class-B
- Marine AIS-SART
- RFID readers/writers
- Automatic meter reading (AMR)
- Wireless sensor networks Mesh/Ad hoc systems
- Remote control and sensing systems
- Battery-powered commercial and consumer communications

CMX901 Advantage
- Wide operating range 130MHz to 950MHz
- Small footprint WQFN package
- High gain (up to 40dB)
- High efficiency (up to 60% for VHF)
- Single polarity supply 2.5V - 6.0V
- High performance
- Attractive price/performance
- Robust, load VSWR 10:1 without damage
- Focused technical support available
- CML’s product longevity record

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<th>Typical Performance</th>
<th>RF Frequency (MHz)</th>
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<td>Efficiency (%)</td>
<td>150    450  900</td>
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<td>Power Gain Pmax (dBm)</td>
<td>34   32.6 31.8</td>
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<td>Output Power (W)</td>
<td>2.5   1.8  1.5</td>
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**EV9011 Evaluation Kit**

The EV9011 evaluation kit provides a convenient route to evaluating the CMX901 RF Power Amplifier. The board is available in three RF frequency ranges:

- 150-170 MHz operation = EV9011-160
- 400-470 MHz operation = EV9011-435
- 900-930 MHz operation = EV9011-915

**CML Microcircuits Benefits**

**Faster time to market**
Developing proven high performance and field tested ASSP ICs, CML is helping engineers to cope with increasing pressure in delivering shorter project design cycles.

**Design flexibility**
CML’s FirmASIC® reconfigurable technology with the use of a Function Image™ upload enables a single hardware platform to be used for multiple communications systems.

**High Quality**
With 100% of products being tested before shipping, customers are assured of the highest reliability.

**Product Longevity**
CML’s product enjoys a long lifespan. Designing with CML, manufacturers are rewarded with longer product life cycles and a stable BOM, ensuring minimum engineering costs and maximum profit.

**Low Power**
Being at the forefront of low power chip technology, manufacturers can develop smaller equipment with extended battery life.

**Superior Support**
Internal and field based applications teams worldwide provide focused customer support to ease the development process.